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ONODA, Kenji et al.	)	
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Serial No.: 10/757,383	)	
	)	Examiner: GORDON, Raeann
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For: Composite Metal Wood	)	

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**  
**WITH RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

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In response to the *Office Action* mailed August 11, 2005, Applicant submits this *Request For Continued Examination (RCE) With Response and Amendment* pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following Remarks.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.10, I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted via Express Mail "Post Office to Addressee" to: Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop RCE, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 via the PTO Centralized Facsimile Number (703) 872-9306 on February 13, 2006.  
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